#### 109TH CONGRESS 1ST SESSION

# H. R. 4621

To ensure that a sex offender or a sexually violent predator is not eligible for parole.

## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

DECEMBER 17, 2005

Mr. Kennedy of Minnesota (for himself and Mr. Chandler) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary

# A BILL

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- 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-
- 2 tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,
- 3 SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.
- 4 This Act may be cited as the "No Parole for Sex Of-
- 5 fenders Act".
- 6 SEC. 2. REDUCTION OF GRANT AMOUNTS.
- 7 (a) IN GENERAL.—In order not to reduce the funds
- 8 available for Local Law Enforcement Block Grants by 10
- 9 percent, a State shall, on the first day of each fiscal year
- 10 beginning 2 years after the date of the enactment of this

- 1 Act, have in effect throughout the State in such fiscal year
- 2 a law which requires such State to disallow parole for an
- 3 individual convicted of a criminal offense against a victim
- 4 who is a minor or a sexually violent predator (as such
- 5 terms are defined in section 170101 of the Violent Crime
- 6 Control and Law Enforcement Act of 1994).

### 7 (b) Compliance and Ineligibility.—

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- (1) COMPLIANCE DATE.—Each State shall have not more than 3 years from the date of enactment of this Act in which to comply with subsection (a), except that the Attorney General may grant an additional 2 years to a State that is making good faith efforts to implement subsection (a).
  - (2) INELIGIBILITY FOR FUNDS.—A State that fails to comply with subsection (a) of this section within the period prescribed by or under paragraph (1) of this subsection shall not receive 10 percent of the funds that would otherwise be allocated to the State for Local Law Enforcement Block Grants.
- 20 (c) Redistribution.—Any funds available for redis-21 tribution shall be redistributed to participating States that 22 have in effect a law referred to in paragraph (1).

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